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ATTITUDE OF THE GOVERNMENT IN REGARD TO CHILL.

The Administration Awaiting the Official Report of the Valparaiso Investigation.

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> A Reciprocity Agreement Concluded With the Brit sh Colonial Possessions in the West Indies-List of American Products Admitted Free and Others Given Special Rates. The Japanese Diet Dissolv d-Capi-

WASHIGNTON, Dec. 29.-In regard to the Washienton, Dec. 29.—In regard to the Chilian situation, the day was absolutely without incident that could be distorted into a relation to warlike preparations. No cipher dispatches came from Minister Ezan, and the air of quietude in the departments strongly accentuated the present attitude of the government with respect to Chili, as shown by the president's message to congress in this paragraph:

"This government is now awaiting the result of the investigation which has been conducted by the criminal court of Valparaiso. It is expected that the result will soon be communicated to this government.

conducted by the criminal court of Valparalso. It is expected that the result will soon be communicated to this government, together with some adequate and satisfactory response to the note by which the attention of Chili was called to this incident. If these just expectations should be disappointed, or further needless delay intervene, I will, by special message, bring this matter again to the attention of congress for such action as may be necessary?

Such unofficial advices as have been received here are to the effect that the legal authorities at Valparaiso have not completed the revision of the formal proceedings of Justice Foster. Just how long these legal formalities may be protracted before they may be regarded as causing "further needless delay" is, of course, determinable only by President Harrison; but there is reason to believe that there have been brought to his attention the difficulties that surround President Monti in the formation of a new cabinet, and that he is also desirons of avoiding the appearance of endeavoring to interfere with due process of law in Chili, if there is any reasonable ground for the assumption that due process is being followed.

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These considerations have doubtless led him to adopt a course of patient waiting, to the utmost extreme consistent with a due regard to the dignity of the United States; and, so far as can be learned, it is probable that no departure will be made from this attitude before the reassembling of congress, unless a further communication from the Chilan government should give a different asjan. To the situation. If the heads of the bureaus in the mayy department are to be believed, no extraordinary efforts are being made to put the naval vessels in condition for active hostilities. In the war department matters are very quiet, and even the Mexican frontier disturbances failed to furnish an item of news today.

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have enough to fill up the Charleston and

have enough to fill up the Charleston and Baltimore and put them in campaign condition." It is believed here that the San Francisco has orders to remain at this port until the diplomatic relations with Chili take one turn or another and that her disposition in the future will depend upon the turn the diplomatic relations take. The Baltimore is expected here about Thursday.

ARMOR PLATES.

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PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 19—Mr. Abbott of Carnegie, Phipps & Co. has been summoned by telegraph to Washington by the secretary of the navy in relation to the armor and deck plates which the firm is supplying for the warships now building. The telegram ordered him to leave on the first train, and he will take his departure this evening. The rumors of feverish rapidity with which the government is pushing work on the war vessels, in the light of the strained relations with Chili, receive new confirmation locally. On the streets today it was stated that Caruegie, Phipps & Co. are pushing work on the armor and deck plate contracts as rapidiy as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the bureau of ordinance could possibly as possible, and tast no telegrams from the Raos—The Appointment

Not to be Made B-fore Thurslay.

A Democratic Majority in Both Branches of the New York Legislature—The Bearing of the Fact Upon the Next Precidential Election—A Republican Move to Prevent a Quorum in the San-

THE JAPANESE DIET.

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Washington, Dec. 29.—Telegrams have been received in this city announcing that on the 25th inst., the house of representatives of the Japanese diet was dissolved by an imperial order. The house of peers is prorogued, and a new election for members of the lower house must be held within five months. The government bases its action upon a desire to test public opinion concerning the policy of the popular party in the house of representatives, which since the meeting of the diet last month, has indiscriminely opposed all government measures. The opposition to the government insisted on a wholesale reduction of national expenditures and the postponing of the debate upon the urgent measures for the relief of the flood and earthquake sufferers and for the repair of the river embankments which were and earthquake sufferers and for the repair of the river embankments which were destroyed by the earthquake. These acts the government states, betray disregard for the national welfare and a spirit antagonistic to the proper duties devolving upon the diet, and the dissolution becomes a public necessity. After the dissolution the government, on its own responsibility, issued an ordinance for the relief of the sufferors by the earthquake and floods, and for the repair of the river embankments, appropriating over \$4,000,000 in addition to \$5,000,000 aiready granted.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A reciprocity agreement has been entered into between Secretary Blaine and the British minister, to embrace the British West Indian colonies of Jamaica, Barbadoes, the Leeward and Windward islands, except Grenada, Trinidad and the colony of British Guiasa. It is expected that the arrangement will go into operation as to the West Indian colonies named on Feb. 1, next, and as to British Guiasa on March 31, next. The official proclamation and correspondence will probably not be issued for ten days or two weeks, as it must await a notice that the tariff legislation of the colonies rendered necessary by the arrangement has been cnacted. Following are the principal articles to be admitted free of all duty and any other national, colonial or municipal charges: charges:

charges:
Animals, alive; beef, beef and pork pre-served in caus; printed matter in all lan-guages; bottles of glass or stoneware, bran, middlings and shorts; carts, wagons, cars and barrows, not including vehicles news today.

THE SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 29.—According to Admiral Brown, who is now here with the San Francisco, the cruiser Charleston left. Honolulu for Acapulco. Whether the Charleston will come north from Acapulco the admiral declined to say. In regard to the extra ammunition aboard the San Francisco Captain Simpson says: "We see the sand ballon; hay and straw for forage; low plements, utensits and tools, for agriculture; lime of all kinds; all materials and appliances for rankways and tramways. appliances for railways and tramways; paper of all kind for printing and wrap-ping; salt; sewing machines; shipbuilding materials; starch of Indian corn or maize; sulphur; tan bark; electrical apparatus and appliances of all kinds for communi-cation or illumination; trees, plants, vines and seeds, and grains of all kinds for

propagation, or cultivation.

The following affect Jamaica only:
Calicoes; augar, refinel; wire for fences,
and for appliances for fastening same;

zinc, tin and lead in sheets.
Schedule B-Articles to be admitted at 50 per cent. reduction of the duty designated in the customs tariff now in force:
Bacon and hams; bread and biscuit; butter; cheese; lard, and its compounds; outter: cheese; lard, and its compounds; limber of pitch pine, in the rough or prepared for buildings, to be reduced to 9 shillings per 1,000 feet.

Schedule C-Articles to be admitted at 25 per cents reducing of the district of the distri

25 per cents reduction of the duty designated in the customs tariff now in force: Beef, salted or pickled; corn and maize; neal; oats; petroleng, and its pro-crude or refined; pork, salted or corn meal;

NEW YEAR'S AT THE WHITE HOUSE. Washington, Dec. 29.—The president will "receive" on New Year's day, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m. with the vice president, the members of the cabinet and diplomatic corps, and ending at 2 p. m., with a reception of citizens.

C. Darrow, the young couple from New York who were married on a banter and who now wish to be separated. Judge Withrow rules that the marriage cannot be dissolved, and that the parties must re-

main man and wife.

Mrs. Darrow is a handsome young lady,
17 years old, and the daughter of Judge
Gaskell, of Lockport, N. Y. The circum-Mrs. Darrow is a handsome young lady.

17 years old, and the daughter of Judge Gaskell, of Lockport, N. Y. The circumstances of the marriage, as brought out at the bearing of the case, were that the young lady, while not yet 16 years of age, had several admirers. Among them was Constantine Darrow, a young law student. Darrow was jealous of the other young men who sought Miss Gaskell's favor and it was stated that he challenged his sweetheart to prove that she was not married to some of the other young men by going to a church and marrying him. She took the banter, it was stated, and they went to the Episcopal church at Lockport, N. Y. and were married. The young lady returned to her parents and young Darrow resumed his law studies, and nothing was said about the marriage.

Mature reflection and a little time seem to have cured the young people of their fancy for each other. Darrow came west about a year ago and began the practice of law in Buchanan country. Mo. After his trict Judge Cade, connect for head, and contained the curry districts candidate, will get the certificate. In the Denocratic candidate, will get the certificate in the Durchess country district. Inchess country districts the Denocratic candidate. Will get the court special candidate, will get the certificate. In the Durchess country district to Parawas about a year ago and began the practice of law in Buchanan country. Mo. After his

THE SCRAMBLE FOR THE SEAT OF SENATOR PLUMB.

a Quorum in the Sinate-Mr. Washburn Talks of

Blaine.

pecial Dispatch to the Daily Earle. TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 29.-Many wrong this city regarding the senatorial contest. The facts are briefly these: There are two or three hundred representative politicians here from all parts of the state, in the interest of George R. Peck, Joseph W. Ady, Bishop Perkius, J. K. Hudson, George T. Anthony, E. N. Morrill and Ben Simpson. espectively. The men who are for Peck have been unable to get his consent to enter the race. It would seem at this hour that the effort must fail. Ady, Perkins, Hudson and Morrill have the strongest delegations, Peck's excepted. The other candidates have but few backers, who do not seem to be doing any particularly effective work. The great body of Plumb's closest friends constitute the Peck forces, Rev. Bernard Kelly leads the Hudson forces, Judge Peters the Ady following and Kirkpatrick the Perkins men. The names of Ingails, Crawford and other supposed candidates are not mentioned. There

phrey met no delegations this morning His time was consumed by politician who wanted "a private word with the gov who wanted "a private word with the governor." The executive reception room was crowded, and the private secretary announced "next" in true tonsornal style.

J. W. Ady, whose place was taken yesteriday afternoon by the Perkins delegation, will have a bearing this afternoon, and later the claims of George T. Anthony will be considered. Major Hudson will have the last open hearing tomorrow. The presentation of the claims of E. N. Morrill yesterday afternoon by Cyrus Leland and Senator Schilling was the surprise of the day. Morrill has not made, and his friends say he will not make an open fight for the place. His endorsements have been the most complimentary received by any man in the state. They have come from every congressional district.

A MICHIGAN MIXTURE.

Laxsing, Mich., Dec. 29—A new people's party, for independent political action, was formed here today by a federation of all the industrial organizations in the state, including the Farmers' Alliance, the Pseudoscial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the kinghts of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the will have the last open hearing tomorrow. The people's party, Patrons of Judentry, the Kinghts of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the side industrial organizations of Industry, the Kinghts of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial party, the industrial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial party, the industrial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the kinghts of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial organizations of Industry, the Kinghts of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial organizations of Labor, Prohibitionists, the Industrial party, the industrial organizations of Industrial organizations of Industrial organizat

congressional district.
The resolutions adopted by the Young
Men's Republican club, of Wichita, urging Men's Republican clud, of Wichita, urging the appointment of Ingalls, were received at the executive office this morning. This morning the work done by the Hudson forces began to be felt. Endorse-ments of Hudson's candidacy poured into the executive office and the business man-ager of the Capital is receiving letters and disnatches houriv.

dispatches hourly.

J. R. Burton, who, his friends believe,

J. R. Burton, who, his friends believe, is the man of destiny, will make no formal presentation of his candidacy. It is likely that Ben Simpson will follow the same course. Nearly every politician of promitience in the state is here this morning.

Governor Humphrey accorded Major Hudson an interview this morning. After the interview Major Hudson stated that he believed the contest had been narrowed down to ex-Congressinan Perkins and

tempt was made today to get an expres-sion from the Republicans of this city upon the senatorial question. Meetings were called of the Republican League club and of the colored voters. But there appears to be little feeling upon the subject in this city, and only twenty persons were present at the league meeting and eighteen at the colored meeting. At the league meeting there was a free expression of opinion, the majority favoring the appointment of lingalls. A resolution was offered endors-ing the candidacy of Major Morrill. Upon ment, the members of the cabinet and diplomatic corps, and ending at 2 p. m., with a reception of citizens.

A TIE THAT BINDS.

St. Louis, Dec. 24—Judge Withrow gave his decision toolay in the divorse case of Sarah G. Darrow, the young couple from New York who were as a supposition of the appointment of logalis.

A triangle of the cabinet and this resolution six voted in favor, and the others refraited. A resolution endorsing logalis was adopted by a vote of 6 to 3, the three voting against 1b being friends of Major Hudson. The sentiment in this community, so far as expressed is largely in favor of the appointment of logalis.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC OPERATORS.

El. Page To the constitution providing for a class of life logurance at \$2,500 in addition to the present one at \$5,000, in order to t

NEW YORK POLITICS.

A Democratio Majority in Both Branches of the Assembly.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 29.-This city was

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met, but the members are in consultation, having the court's decision and opinious before them.

The decision of the court of appeals caused great consternation among the Republicans, but they have not yet given up the fixht, and the leaders are now in consultation as to what is best to be done.

The Democrats are jubilant, and a prominent one says: "Hereafter the Republican party of this state will be a dream of the past, so far as political standing goes. The Democrats have now complete control of the state govern ent, and an enumeration bill will be rushed through, and at once followed by a reapportionment and redistricting bill."

The importance of Democratic control of the senate is not only local but national. It may possibly decide the next election for the presidency, as there will surely be a reapportionment of the state in the interests of the democrats. Besides this important matter, there is a great deal of patronage in the appointment of officials to phaces so long held by Republicans, such as health officers, quarantine commissioners, railroad commissioners, etvil service commissioners, state assessors, etc.

The state board of carvassers convened

service commissioners, state assessors, etc.
The state board of canvassers convened tonight and took the following actionapon the four cases in contest: In the Fifteenth district a certificate of election was awarded to Osborne, the Democratic candidate. awarded to Osborne, the Democratic candidate; in the Sixteenth district a certificate was awarded to Derby, the Republican candidate, and in the Twenty-little district a certificate was awarded to Nicholis, the Democratic candidate. In the Twenty-seventh district, (Sherwood's district) the board did not award any certificate, leaving the senate to determine whether any candidate was elected, in view of the decision of the court of appeals that Sherwood is ineligible. The board then adjourned sine dis.

Sherwood, the ineligible, was the Republican candidate. With this district in abeyance, the decision rendered today, and the action of the state canvassers in according the countries.

the action of the style canvassers in accord therewith, gave the senate this complexion: Democrats, 16; Republicans, 14; Independent Republicans, 1, with the twenty seventh district in doubt. Thus with the deciding vote of the Democratic lieutenant-governor, the Democrats will be able to direct the action to be taken in the twenty-seventh district, where Sherwood, Republican, is decided fueligible. This is upon the assumption that a quorum is present. A quorum is 17 and a Democratic vote of 16 (the lieutenaut gav ernor is not counted for a quorum) would not reach the quorum requirement. Just here and there arises the possibility of a cound'ctat; for Colonel Biles of the Re-publican counsel is authority for the statement that if the Democrats attempt to organize with but their votes, there will be an exodus on the part of the Republi-cans, out of the reacn of the sergant-at-arms, and a consequent lack of a quorum.

SECRETARY BLAINE, MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 29 — Senator Wash-burne arrived from Washington today. In reply to a question as to whether or not he had announced the news of Secretary are no pointers or indications as to who the lucky or uniucky man is to be, beyond a general talk that Perkins is the man who will have to be beaten. Every hour and minute Governor Humphrey is being pressed. The appointment will not occur before Thursday—that is certain, and everything else is uncertain.

SENATORIAL GOSSIP.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 29.—Governor Humphrey met no delegations this morning. His time was consumed by politicians. are no pointers or indications as to who Blaine's willingness to become a presiden

A MICHIGAN MIXTURE.

WESTERN DRUMMERS.

Sr. Louis, Dec. 19.—The annual meeting of the Western Commercial Travelers' association was held here this afternoon. A number of questions of importance to the members were discussed, among others the members were discussed, among others the propriety of permitting any respectable and regularly registered physician to certify ito sick benefit certificates. This organization pays up to \$5,000 insurance on the death of members. Some suggestions looking toward certain modifications were made, but no action was taken. The following officers were elected: President James F. Cayle, St. Louis; first vice president Houston T. Rice, St. Louis; vice president, Houston T. Rice, St. Louis; second vice president, Heary Schooler, St. Louis; third vice president, H. J. Forsdick, Memphis; fourth vice president, D. T. Malven, Austin, Tex.; fifth vice president, Frank T. Schudi, Kansas City; sirth vice president, John H. Biddleran, Schudi, Vice President, John H. Biddleran, Schudinger, Sc

Chicago, Dec. 29.—The sixteenth annual convention of the Northwestern Traveling Men's association began tere today. The officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: President, C. H. Reed, secretary-treasurer, J. C. Hinman. Among the vice presidents are W. H. Cielland of Missouri, and D. E. Good of Kansas. The following directors were chosen: F. C. Ethridge, J. T. Garrigan, W. H. Cribben, With a sale and Edward Dovie. ridge, J. T. Garrigan, W. H. Cribbs Conrad Witkowsky and Edward Doyle. After voting down a proposed au ment to the constitution providing class of life lugurance at \$2,500 in add

El Paso, Tex. Dec 29.—Information has been received here that the chiefs of the Order of Railway Telegraphers will the Order of Railway Lengrapaers with bold another conference today with the officers of the Southern Pacific road, with which it is believed the attrices will win. In the event of the road's not granting the telegraphers what they mak for, support is confidently expected from the trainmen all along the line, as they have been meeting

browing between the East Tennesses, Vir ginis and Georgia Hailway company and operator as soon as they been that he be-longs to the Order of Railway Tris-graphers. Whatever the real facts of the case are, it may be stated that a number of operators have been signify decapitated recently. The president of the Order of Railway Telepraphers was here today to investigate. The order is strong and has the sympathy of other railway employed organizations. There is a claim that all the rouds have agreed on a boycots of the

to have cured the young people of their fancy for each other. Darrow came west about a year ago and began the practice of law in Buchanan county, Mo. After his departure from the east, the minister who performed the ceremony informed Mra. departure from the east, the minister who performed the ceremony informed Mra. departure from the east, the minister who performed the ceremony informed Mra. departure from the east, the minister who performed the ceremony informed Mra. departure from the county decision says that while the "Mylod" certificate could be cannassed the "Mylod" certificate could be cannassed to secure a legal separation.

INDIAN EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS CITT. Kan., Dec. 19.—The second day's proceedings of the Indian seducational convention was largely attended by teachers and pupils from the different Indian schools in Miscouri, Kansas and Indian Territors. One of the most interesting features was an addresses by Keskink, chief of the Sac and Fox Indians, in his native tongue. Addresses were show delivered by Rev. Mr. Hume of Ottawa: Professor Davis, superintendent of the Haskeil, and others. There are zero in about the flaskeil, and others. There are zero in about the state board of canvassers can give a certificate to with the progress and development of the Haskeil, and others. There are zero in about the state board of canvassers and proceedings of the Indian court's decision was that the structure would be commanded as the progress the Chicago Times. The Democratic counts from many years back occupied by the paper, and an one of the Requibilities and from the different ladder of canvassers can give a certificate to suppress the first work of the second day's proceedings of the Indian court's derivation that the structure would be commanded at the reformed the court's derivation that the state board of canvasity. In the state boar